

Memo from

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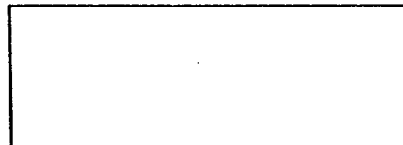
Stormfury Project

The SRI study was funded by the Dept. of Commerce; after administrative reshuffling, the report was ultimately under NOAA auspices.

Call Warner North at SRI for knowledgeable history of the ~~project~~ entire effort.

\* There is no evidence that hurricanes can be steered; but I do not doubt that meteorological interventions -- like water-grabbing-- will have to be put under some system of international control. Trouble is, most people are too ~~skeptical~~ skeptical that anything is happening at all to allow a serious effort at establishing legal controls to get under way. Which was the point of my article.

\*their path is supposed to be dominated by the much larger weather system.



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